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- A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 C.F.R. 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
- A Request for Extension of Time.
- X A Petition Requesting Reversal of the Objection to the Drawing Amendment filed May 9, 2002.
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